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From: McKim, Krista
Sent: Thur 4/6/2017 12:08:56 PM
Subject: FW: Response to FWS regarding Back 40 permit [WARNING: DKIM validation failed]

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From: McKim, Krista
Sent: Thursday, April 06, 2017 6:58 AM
To: 'Heaton, Sylvia (DEQ)' ; Bauer, Candice
Cc: Alexander, Christine (DEQ) ; Argiroff, Phil (DEQ) ; Ireland, Scott ; Pierard, Kevin
Subject: RE: Response to FWS regarding Back 40 permit [WARNING: DKIM validation failed]

Hi Sylvia,

We were informed by the Menominee yesterday (and no I can see from your website) that the NPDES permit for Aquila has been issued. Could you please send us a copy? The Tribal and Regional leadership are meeting today on the Back 40 project, and now that the permit has been issued we will be asked to discuss it. the meeting is at 12:30 today so we would really appreciate receiving a copy of the permit before then. I couldn't find it on your website.

Apologies if you already received this request from Candice, I know she was planning to contact you yesterday.

Thanks,

Krista

From: Heaton, Sylvia (DEQ) [mailto:HEATONS@michigan.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, February 22, 2017 8:34 AM
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Hi Candice and Krista,

Thanks for reviewing and providing comments on the draft letter to FWS, and for providing the analysis information on the long-eared bat. Can I call you if we have questions?

We look forward to receiving the comments on the proposed permit. Just for clarification, MDEQ forwarded the proposed permit to EPA on December 21, 2016, rather than February 1, 2017 as indicated in your email below. We forwarded the response to comment documents on February 1, 2017.

Thanks,

Sylvia

From: Bauer, Candice <bauer.candice@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, February 17, 2017 5:02 PM
To: Heaton, Sylvia (DEQ)
Cc: McKim, Krista
Subject: Response to FWS regarding Back 40 permit

Hi Sylvia- Thanks for the opportunity to review your response to FWS's comments on the Back 40 permit. I am attaching some suggestions compiled by Krista McKim for your consideration, as well as a recent ESA analysis EPA conducted on long-eared bat that may be of assistance.

Also, I wanted to update you that we are working to finalize our comments on the proposed permit we received on February 1st. We expect to get that letter out to you next week, in which we will provide some suggestions to clarify the permit's monitoring requirements as we discussed last week.

Please let Krista or I know if you have questions.

Candice

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